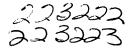
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March 31, 2010 Via Overnight Delivery

Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni, Chief Clerk South Carolina Public Service Commission Synergy Business Park, Saluda Bldg. 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210

RE: Petition for Merger by Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc. and Global Crossing North American Networks, Inc.

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Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and two (2) copies of the Petition of Merger submitted on behalf of Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc. and Global Crossing North American Networks, Inc.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by returning, file-stamped, the extra copy of this cover letter in the self-addressed, stamped envelope enclosed for this purpose.

Any questions you may have pertaining to this filing should be directed to my attention at (407) 740-3004 or <a href="mailto:rnorton@tminc.com">rnorton@tminc.com</a>.

Sincerely,

Robin Norton,

Consultant to Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc.

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### BEFORE THE SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLI SERVICE COMMISSION

# PETITION FOR MERGER AND CANCELLATION OF CERTIFICATE by

#### GLOBAL CROSSING NORTH AMERICAN NETWORKS, INC.

into

#### GLOBAL CROSSING TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc. ("GCTI") and Global Crossing North American Networks, Inc. ("GC NAN") (together "Petitioners") hereby seek approval of the planned *pro forma* merger of GC NAN into its affiliate GCTI. Upon consummation of the transaction, GC NAN will no longer exist and, accordingly, hereby requests cancellation of its certification effective as of the date of consummation of the merger as notified to the Commission.

#### I. THE PARTIES

GC NAN was incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware on September 23, 1982. Its principal office is located in New York. The company was certificated to provide interexchange long distance service in Docket 94-208-C, Order 94-595 on June 22, 1994. GC NAN is a wholly owned indirect subsidiary of Global Crossing Limited, a publicly traded (NASD: GLBC) Bermuda corporation with affiliates in the United States and several other countries providing telecommunications services. GC NAN does not provide retail telecommunications services.

GCTI was incorporated under the laws of the State of Michigan on April 5, 1989. Its principal office is located in New York. GCTI was originally authorized to provide resold long distance service in Docket 91-335-C, Order 91-753 on August 30, 1991. GCTI currently offers resold intrastate toll telecommunications services. GCTI, like GC NAN, is a wholly owned indirect subsidiary of Global Crossing Limited.

#### II. THE TRANSACTION

On or about September 30, 2010, GC NAN will be merged into GCTI. At that time, all of the assets of GC NAN will be transferred to GCTI, and GC NAN will cease to exist. Accordingly, GC NAN hereby requests cancellation of its certification and tariff effective upon the date of consummation of the merger as notified to this Commission.

#### III. CUSTOMER IMPACT

GC NAN does not provide retail service and therefore there are no customers who will be affected as a result of this transaction.

#### IV. CONTACT INFORMATION

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#### V. PUBLIC INTEREST STATEMENT

The proposed merger is an internal corporate reorganization that will reduce costs and provide enhanced efficiencies for the surviving Global Crossing entities. There will be no changes to the rates, terms and conditions of service.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated above, Petitioners submit that the public interest, convenience and necessity would be furthered by a grant of this Petition and respectfully request approval of the merger between GCNAN and GCTI and cancellation of GCNAN's certificate as requested herein.

## STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF MONROE

#### **VERIFICATION**

I, R. Edward Price, hereby declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am Senior Counsel for Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc. and Global Crossing North American Networks, Inc.; that I am authorized to make this verification on behalf of both named companies; that I have read the foregoing Petition; and that the facts stated therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

R. Edward Price Senior Counsel

Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc. Global Crossing North American Networks, Inc.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of Moure	, 2010.
Notary Public	
My Commission expires:	

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